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**From:** Deborah.Easterling  
**Sent:** Tuesday, October 23, 2012 1:45 PM  
**To:** 'mbarreto@comporium.net'  
**Subject:** RE: protest of rate increase Tega Cay 2012-177-WS

Dear Ms. Barreto,

This is to acknowledge receipt of your email to the Public Service Commission. I am forwarding your email and Letter of Protest to our Clerk's Office for processing. Your email and Letter of Protest will become a part of Docket No. 2012-177-WS and will be posted on our website under this docket.

Please let me know if you should require any additional information.

Sincerely,

Deborah Easterling  
Administrative Assistant

-----Original Message-----

**From:** [mbarreto@comporium.net](mailto:mbarreto@comporium.net) [<mailto:mbarreto@comporium.net>]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, October 23, 2012 1:38 PM  
**To:** PSC\_Contact  
**Subject:** protest of rate increase Tega Cay 2012-177-WS

Attached is my letter of protest



\* Required Fields

Date: \* 10-23-2012

**Letter of Protest**  
**in Docket 2012 - 177 -**

**Print**

**Email**

**Protestant Information:**

Name \* Mary Jo Barreto

Mailing Address \* 1101 Palmyra Drive

City, State Zip \* Tega Cay, SC 29708 Phone \* 803 547-2250

E-mail mbarreto@comporium.net

**1. What is your connection or interest in this case? \* For example, are you a customer of the Company that is the subject of this pending proceeding? (This section must be completed. Attach additional information if necessary.)**

I am a customer and have lived in Tega Cay for 28 years. I boat on Lake Wylie. I drink the water and I am not pleased with Tega Cay Water Services

**2. Please give a concise statement of your protest. \* (This section must be completed. Attach additional information if necessary.)**

The current cost of the water/sewer in Tega Cay is already extremely high and has been for a number of years. I believe TCWS received an 18% increase a couple of years ago. We have one of the highest rates in the surrounding areas. A 48% increase is outrageous. As consumers, we feel we should have quality for our money and we do not feel that way - even without the increase! I am totally against an increase!

**3. Do you wish to make an appearance at a hearing in this proceeding, if scheduled, and offer sworn testimony? \***

I will not be able to attend but I definitely protest this increase!